

7 Ways to Grow Respect

#1 Listen quietly when others are talking, and then share your thoughts.

#2 Say words like “nice to see you,” “thank you,” and “you’re welcome.”

#7 Remember everyone is different, special, and equal.

#6 Praise your friends and family for jobs well done.

#3 Help elders and others in need.

#5 Never make fun of others or use your words to hurt someone.

#4 Share with your friends and talk about their likes and dislikes, as well as yours.



Our differences and strengths grow the BEST gardens.

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Creating a healthy community includes raising respectful children. Talk with young people in your life about ways they can be respectful and be an important part of your community.

Use helpful examples as you review the 7 tips and follow your own tips when teaching children.

PRAISE Applaud children for their efforts and accomplishments more than you correct them. They will feel great about their efforts and work hard to keep the positive words coming from you. Love and praise them daily!

SHARE Tell children about how you show respect and how others help you. Share a traditional story, song, or picture that demonstrates caring actions and respect. Ask questions so they share their thoughts with you.

RECOGNIZE Show children that people in the community have different strengths and abilities, including cultural differences. Learning about others grows understanding and teamwork.

INCLUDE Help create an environment in which children feel connected. Greet other children with kindness and help your child talk with others. Be sure children understand that everyone belongs and is important.

Show every child in your community how to grow respect.



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